

TO BEGIN WORK ON POST-OFFICE

Contract for New Building at Fredericksburg Awarded. Political Speaking.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSBURG, Va., October 22.—Work on the new post-office to be erected here by the United States government will begin Monday, October 25, the contract having been awarded. The contract price is \$40,000. It is expected that work will be pushed forward promptly, and the building will be completed within a reasonable time. Postmaster J. M. Griffin has been designated as superintendent of construction until the government can send a representative to look after that part of the work.

Congressman Jones Speaks.
Hon. William A. Jones, of Richmond county, member of Congress from this district, addressed the voters of the city at the courthouse here to-night. It was the first speech of the Democratic campaign in this city, and the audience was a representative and enthusiastic one. Mr. Jones in his speech, which was an exhaustive one, touched on all the issues of the campaign, and with much force answered the arguments being put forth by some of the Republican leaders, especially Captain Kent, Mr. Brent, Mr. Shelton and Congressman McKinlay. The speech was listened to with great interest, and it will help the Democratic cause here.

Personals and Briefs.
J. S. Tindler, of Orange county, has filed a petition in the United States District Court asking to be declared a bankrupt. Attorney W. W. Butner, of this city, has been appointed trustee in the case. Mr. Tindler's assets are about \$3,000. Liabilities are not yet known.

A number of the Pennsylvania veterans returning from Cold Harbor and Richmond, stopped off here, and are spending some time visiting historic points about the city and the battlefields in the surrounding section.

Hon. William Tyler Page, of Baltimore, and Joseph L. Crupper, of Alexandria, will address voters at Cox's Store, near White Oak, in Stafford county, on Monday, October 25, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. They will also speak that night at Falmouth, in the same county.

Bishop-Coadjutor Arthur Seldon Lloyd will preach and confirm a class at historic old Lamb's Creek Church, in King George county, on next Sunday at 11 o'clock.

FORGIVE GREEK HUSBAND.

Parents of Fourteen-Year-Old Girl Who Eloped Relent.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., October 22.—Billie Rimpolis, a young Greek, who eloped from here Tuesday with Miss Flora Brewer, a fourteen-year-old American girl, to Rockhill, S. C., where they were married by a magistrate, has been invited by the girl's parents to return home, with the promise that forgiveness would be extended.

The girl's fourteenth birthday occurred on her wedding day. Her parents, who are in high esteem, threatened to indict the Greek on the charge of kidnapping, but to-day, after talking with their daughter in Rockhill, over the long-distance telephone, they relented, and insisted upon the bride bringing her husband home without further delay, and this she promised to do. The couple are expected to arrive to-night or to-morrow.

AT WORK IN RALEIGH, TOO.

Fifteen Cases of Losses Through Pickpockets Reported.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., October 22.—Fifteen cases of losses through pickpockets were reported to-day, in the great jam of people at the State Fair and circus. Some of the losses were as high as \$200. Two men were detected at work in the dense crowds at the principal street car junction, and captured after sensational races, in which officers and citizens joined. Both were genteel-looking. One gave his name as Alfred Scott, of Norfolk, and the other as John Logan, of Chattanooga. Scott stated that he has a wife and children at the Yarrowbrough Hotel. He fought desperately to keep from being locked up, and was covered with blood at the finish.

A WIRELESS STATION.

Professor and Two Cadets at V. M. I. Receive Message.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, Va., October 22.—Colonel Francis Mallory, professor of physics at the Virginia Military Institute, has installed at that institution a wireless telegraphy receiving station, and messages are being successfully received from points along the Atlantic coast. No attempt has been made to establish a sending station, as that is a more difficult affair than a receiving station. Cadets Flannigan, of New York City, and Allen, of Yorkers, N. Y., assisted Colonel Mallory in establishing the station, they both having had experience in wireless telegraphy.

Cabinet Resigns.

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WOMAN'S HOME COMPANION



At All News-stands.

News of Petersburg

Times-Dispatch Bureau.
109 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., October 22.
At the residence of George Esig, in Chesterfield county, last night, a number of invited guests had assembled to witness the marriage of his daughter, Miss Lessa Essig, to Rufus S. Garratt, of Richmond. Rev. E. B. Bryan, of Grace Episcopal Church, was present to perform the ceremony. At the appointed time Dr. Bryan, to the surprise of every one, read a marriage certificate, showing that the young couple had been married on August 9 by Rev. J. K. Joffit, of Petersburg. Mr. and Mrs. Garratt were the recipients of hearty congratulations, and bridegroom was enjoyed by all, although it was sixty days late.

Docket Called.
The civil docket was called in the Corporation Court this morning. The most important case set for trial was that of Charles M. Ambold vs. the Atlantic Coast Line, damages, \$50,000, and it was argued that the case be heard on Wednesday, November 15. This suit is the result of an accident several months ago, in which Mr. Ambold was seriously injured, losing a leg and the foot of the other leg. The accident was caused by a shifting engine striking an automobile in which Mr. Ambold was riding. The accident occurred late in the night, and Mr. Ambold was thrown out of the automobile in front of the shifting engine, the engine running over Mr. Ambold's leg. The injuries described above. J. W. R. McKinney is counsel for the plaintiff in this suit.

Invitation Out.
Samuel M. Watts, of Portsmouth, Va., has issued invitations to the marriage of his sister, Miss Georgianna Watts, to Hugh Stockell, of Petersburg. The marriage will take place in Portsmouth at St. John's Church, on Wednesday evening, November 3, at 8 o'clock. A meeting of the board of directors of the Petersburg Savings and Insurance Company, held this evening, the D. Watkins was elected a member to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Wm. L. Zimmer, who on yesterday was elected president of the Association of that company. The Henry Mason, colored, was found guilty to-day of forging a check on the Petersburg Savings and Insurance

Company, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary.
W. A. Gosch, cashier, and E. F. Lacy and J. T. Ledbetter, clerks, in the Southern Express Company's office, this city, have tendered their resignations, to take effect at once. They will be succeeded by R. R. Scott, of Lynchburg, cashier, and E. E. Ross and M. A. Sheehan, as clerks.

The Petersburg High School football team will play the Fulton team, of Richmond, at Riverside Club to-morrow evening.

During a fight on Farmer Street last night, Merrill Young is alleged to have shot Percy Wilson, the pistol ball glancing off Wilson's forehead. Both parties are negroes and were both in the sum of \$250 for their appearance before court.

Chief of Police Hagland and Detective Heelan will leave to-night, over the Norfolk and Western Railroad for Fort Russell, Wyo., for the purpose of bringing back to Petersburg for trial Julius A. Williamson, the alleged wife-murderer, forger, bigamist and jail-breaker.

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HE WOULD LEAVE A FEW DEMOCRATS

Candidate Kent Wishes Enough to Give Republicans a Fight in Future.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROCKY MOUNT, Va., October 22.—W. P. Kent, Republican nominee for Governor, and Congressman D. E. McKinlay, of California, addressed an audience of 400 persons here to-day. Mr. Kent spoke first, raising his speech. His address was along the line of others delivered by him elsewhere during the campaign. He charged the Democratic party with mismanagement of the affairs of the state, and with wholesale waste, extravagance and plunder. He said that the people of Virginia had awakened to the true status of affairs, and that on November 2 they would smash what he characterized as the Richmond ring. He expressed the hope, however, that enough Democrats would be left in Virginia to give the Republicans a decent fight in the future.

Congressman McKinlay did not attempt a discussion of State issues, but confined his address to a discussion of national affairs, in which he said that in order for a party to manage successfully the affairs of a State they must have a comprehensive idea of national affairs. He stated that he came to Virginia at the earnest request of President Taft, and urged the voters to break away from their old-time moorings and support the Republican ticket. Both speakers were received with liberal applause.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
ROANOKE, Va., October 22.—Captain William P. Kent, Republican candidate for Governor, and Congressman D. E. McKinlay, of California, addressed a mass meeting of Roanokers to-night on the issues involved in the present campaign from a Republican viewpoint. The meeting was one of the most representative ever held by the Republicans in this city.

Mr. Kent made the usual speech he has been making throughout the campaign, reading from manuscript. He attacked the so-called Democratic ring, which he declared was entrenched in Richmond, and being a party without a platform, and Judge Mann, his opponent, with being a candidate not acceptable to his own party. He referred to the liquor question as being the specific issue of the campaign, and declared that he stood for the time-honored principle of local option. He charged the Democratic party with inefficiency, ring rule and a failure to pay pensions to Confederate soldiers. Mr. McKinlay's speech was devoted to a discussion of national issues.

THEIR CAMPAIGN FUTILE.

Norfolk Republicans Succeed Only in Stirring Up Remotest Hopes.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, Va., October 22.—Despite the fact that the Republicans of the city are waging an aggressive campaign and receiving the assistance of a Republican faction of national reputation, they are creating little enthusiasm among the voters of the Democratic ranks. It is admitted that the number of registered Republican voters is quite small, and in the opinion of local Democrats, the interest of Norfolk will roll up the usual majority for the nominees of the primary. In fact, the Democratic leaders of the city claim that the frequent meetings being held by the Republicans are a waste of time, and that the interests of the Democratic voters, who otherwise might have staid away from the polls in indifference.

TOO YOUNG TO MARRY.

Eloping Couple From Montgomery County Sadly Disappointed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BRISTOL, Va., October 22.—Thomas Spangler, twenty-four years old, and Miss Amber Jewell, aged sixteen, were sadly disappointed when they eloped here to-day from Shawsville, Montgomery county, Virginia, to find that under the laws of Tennessee, Miss Jewell was too young to be married, and she lacked three days of being old enough to get a license. They went to Rev. A. H. Burroughs, but he declined to undertake to get a license for them.

He advised them to return home and elope again at the end of three days, and they decided to accept his advice.

Lexington Centennial Dead.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LEXINGTON, Va., October 22.—Tom Gales, colored, is dead at the county poor farm, at the age of 104 years. He was a slave of Colonel Samuel McDowell Reid, of Lexington, and was a useful, trustworthy servant. It is said that his claim of having passed the century mark is well established. He was the oldest resident of Lexington there is one resident of Lexington now who is only ten years younger than Uncle Tom, and he is as active and vigorous as many men of sixty-five.

Probably Fatally Injured.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
RALEIGH, N. C., October 22.—W. R. Hunnyouth, of Clayton, was probably fatally injured this morning by a Sea-board Air Line passenger train. His head was terribly bruised, his chest crushed in and a number of ribs broken.

An Exciting Runaway.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, Va., October 22.—In an exciting runaway here to-day, while a stagecoach was crowded with vehicles and pedestrians, Miss Kate McVicar, the authoress, was knocked down, but escaped injury. Women fled in panic into the stores. The horse finally fell into a sewer trench.

SHAW PRAISES DEAD PRESIDENT

Calls Grover Cleveland Most Courageous Who Ever Occupied White House.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SUFFOLK, Va., October 22.—Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw this afternoon, in a two-hour speech at the Academy of Music, delivered a touching tribute to the memory of Grover Cleveland, who, he declared, was the most courageous man who ever occupied the White House. Mr. Shaw said he had nothing but respect for those who differed from himself in political principles, but he feared those who believed one way and voted another.

Though declining to interfere with State affairs, Mr. Shaw announced that from observation of the temperance question in Iowa, he was led to favor local option. He believed Thomas Jefferson would feel the same way about it if he were to live here to-day.

The greater portion of the address was devoted to the tariff.

GREEN STILL AT LARGE

Escaped Convict and Stolen Horse Still Beyond Reach of Officers.

Though it was expected from information received that he would certainly be found somewhere in Henrico county yesterday, William Green, the negro convict who escaped from the State Farm Wednesday evening, is still at large, and as far as any one knows, the extent to which he has made his escape. The officers have followed out several reported trails, but all have proved fruitless.

AWARDED DAMAGES.

Bedford Man Gets \$4,000 From N. & W. For Crushed Leg.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BEDFORD CITY, October 22.—An interesting case was tried in the Circuit Court here this week being that of Aubrey A. Poindeexter against the Norfolk and Western Railway, for damages of \$20,000, for injuries received when Little Otter Bridge was being removed to construct a new bridge.

Mr. Poindeexter, who was engaged in this work, was caught in a girder of the bridge and his leg crushed so badly that amputation was necessary. He claimed that the accident was due to carelessness on the part of other parties engaged in the work.

FORETOLD HIS DEATH.

Winston-Salem Man Found Dead According to His Prophecy.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., October 22.—Clintman Bengt, aged fifty years, was found dead in bed this morning by his sister, Mrs. Jane Jenkins, with whom he had made his home for several years.

Mr. Bengt foretold his death almost to the exact hour. Yesterday he repeated the prediction to the family that he would soon pass away, although at that time he was apparently enjoying his usual good health. Last evening he remarked to the doctor that he would die during the night. Little attention was paid to the statements made by Bengt, and the family was shocked when he was found dead this morning.

"NEAR BEER" DEALERS BARRED FROM ODD-FELLOWS.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., October 22.—The Tennessee Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd-Fellows to-day adopted a resolution denying membership in the order to dealers in "near beer," and also to men who conduct so-called "soft drink" stands. Such exclusion of the liquor traffic from the State last July, the sale of "near beer" in soft drink stands has become widespread. The Odd-Fellows had previously barred saloon-keepers.

Mrs. Langhorne Dies.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
LYNCHBURG, Va., October 22.—Mrs. Virginia Preston Langhorne, aged seventy-six, who, a week ago, inhaled gas, died early to-day. Her death being due to apoplexy, which she suffered just before or after the accident. She was a native of Montgomery county, and her home in Lynchburg, in which she died for more than half a century. She was related by marriage to the well-known Virginia Langhorne family.

Hamilton Jury Disagrees.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HAMILTON, Va., October 22.—The jury in the trial of Angus S. Hamilton, who was given his second trial yesterday on the charge of murdering Mrs. Sallie Hix in South Lynchburg last June, was unable to agree this morning after having been locked up all night, and Judge Christian discharged it. The third trial of the case was set for hearing on November 2.

Mecklenburg Circuit Court.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
BOYDTON, Va., October 22.—The Circuit Court of Mecklenburg has been in continuous session here since Monday evening. The trial of W. H. Jeffress, charged with assault upon J. F. Herndon, was begun Wednesday and concluded yesterday. The jury acquitted Mr. Jeffress. There were six lawyers engaged in the case.

Meets With Tragic Death.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HIGH POINT, N. C., October 22.—James Word, a well-known printer, met a tragic death this afternoon. While he was helping to unload a large imposing stone at the depot, it slipped from its moorings and knocked him down, in falling the stone struck edgewise on the unfortunate man's breast, mashing the body in a horrible manner. He lived about one hour. Several years ago his leg was shot off by a companion while hunting.

Politics in Highland.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
MONTEREY, Va., October 22.—J. A. Whitlaw, Highland county chairman, has advertised for a Democratic rally on October 30. Congressman Flood, J. Taylor Ellison and J. W. Stephenson will be present. This will be the first political speaking or gathering of the campaign.

Stephen's opponent for the Legislature will be the Democratic candidate for a few days' canvass of the political situation.

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Wool Hose for Ladies, in dark gray and black. This is an extra well made Hose; per pair..... 25c
Ladies' White Sole Hose, in extra sizes, with high spliced heels; per pair..... 35c
Ladies' Hose, in black and tan, guaranteed stainless, made with double heels and toes; per pair..... 12c

SECRETARY SHAW AT PETERSBURG

Favors Local Option and Is Against State-Wide Prohibition.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
PETERSBURG, Va., October 22.—Hon. Leslie M. Shaw addressed the citizens of Petersburg to-night at the Academy, and was greeted by a large and attentive audience.

Secretary Shaw was introduced by General Stith Bolling. Practically the only State issue that he spoke on was the liquor question. Mr. Shaw said in part:

"I have not come to Virginia to tell Virginians how to manage the affairs of Virginia, but the voice of Virginia is no longer heard in the halls of government, because the political leaders have kept Virginians chained to ancient and worn-out policies, and I have come to ask Virginia to take her proper place. I know that it is hard for a man to change his party, but it is conscience and patriotism to vote by principle and not by habit."

"As to your State issue of prohibition, in Iowa we tried State-wide prohibition for ten or fifteen years in appearance, and then there was neither prohibition nor temperance either in fact or appearance, because the local public sentiment was against it. Each locality must enforce the laws, and should enact such laws as local sentiment will uphold. Upon this question Mr. Kent's speech in Danville is a state-of-the-art utterance, and deserves the close attention of the voters of Virginia."

Secretary Shaw then entered into a discussion of the national issues, which he handled in a masterly manner.

CHALONER CASE

Suit Involving Motion Picture Continued Until April.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
COBHAM, Va., October 22.—At the request of John Armstrong Chaloner, "Merry Millie" the suit of Chaloner vs. Sherman, instituted by Mr. Chaloner to recover more than \$1,000,000 held by Sherman in the city of New York, has been continued until April 25 next.

When Mr. Chaloner was placed by certain members of his family in a Baltimore hotel, from which place he escaped in a highly sensational manner, his property was turned over to Mr. Sherman, who still holds it despite the fact that the courts of Virginia and North Carolina have declared Mr. Chaloner of sane mind.

TO SECURE RAILROAD.

Citizens of Washington, N. C. Hold Enthusiastic Meeting.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, N. C., October 22.—A very enthusiastic meeting of prominent citizens and business men was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last evening to further perfect plans looking towards the construction of the proposed Raleigh and Roanoke Railroad from Behlman to this city.

Going to the Philippines.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, Va., October 22.—W. J. Moore, clerk in the office of United States Engineer Mason M. Patrick, in Norfolk, has been appointed chief clerk of the United States engineer in charge of fortification work in the Philippine Islands, will at once embark for Manila, and will probably take passage on the next transport sailing from San Francisco, Cal.

Minutree-Lovman.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WASHINGTON, D. C., October 22.—Mrs. Joseph Powhatan Minutree has issued the invitations for the marriage of her daughter, Elizabeth Eppea, to Harry Franklin Lovman, Wednesday evening, November 10, at 8 o'clock at St. Thomas Church. The invitations, owing to the deep mourning of the bride's family, are limited to relatives and close personal friends, and the wedding will be a quiet one in consequence.

Sunday School Convention.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
WINCHESTER, Va., October 22.—The third annual convention of the consolidated Sunday School of Winchester and Frederick county was held here to-day. President L. A. Adams, of Stephens City, presided. There was a large representation from the seventy-five different schools.

Aged Ducky Killed by Train.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
DURHAM, N. C., October 22.—A few minutes before 1 o'clock this morning a special train on the Southern Railway ran over Cy Parham, colored, killing him almost instantly. The accident happened a few hundred yards from the union station.

Thick Weather Interferes.

ROCKLAND, ME., October 22.—Thick weather to-day interfered with the appearance trial of the battleship Delaware. The remaining eight runs, three of which will be at sea, were postponed until the weather is favorable to-morrow if the weather is favorable.

LOSES HIS SUIT AGAINST FRIEND

Jury Returns Verdict for Defendant in Kingan-Wehn Case in Staunton.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
STAUNTON, Va., October 22.—In the suit brought by D. A. Kingan against J. A. Wehn, for \$10,000, for the alienation of his wife's affections, the jury after being out for only twenty-five minutes, brought in a verdict for the defendant.

The hearing of the case occupied four days, about fifty witnesses being called. Five attorneys were employed. The case has excited great interest in Staunton and this whole section, all the parties being well known. Public interest is increased by the fact that Kingan and Wehn have been life long friends until recently, and that Mr. Kingan has won the sympathy of the community in which she lives, where her character has always been highly esteemed. Mrs. Kingan was on the stand two days.

Injured in Runaway.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
MONTEREY, Va., October 22.—Charles Hicklin, of the McDowell Valley, was badly injured yesterday in a runaway accident on Bullpasture Mountain. He was traveling in an open-top buggy, and when he raised an umbrella he frightened his horse. After a mad dash down the mountain, the buggy was wrecked. Hicklin, when found later by some one passing, was lying in the side ditch, with ugly cuts about his head and a dislocated shoulder.

Edgar Hufford Killed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
POCAHONTAS, Va., October 22.—Edgar Hufford, a native of Pulaski county, was killed while west mining at the Pocahontas Consolidated Collieries Company here Wednesday afternoon by a fall of slate. Hufford was twenty-four years old and single.

His brother from Pulaski City arrived this morning to accompany the remains to Pulaski, where they will be buried.

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